distinguished soldier was presented to the Legislature of South Carolina on the 16th inst., upon which the Speaker welcomed him as the guest of the State, and invited him to a seat on the floor of the House. The reply of Gen. Shields was short, but exactly to the point.

He arrived in Charleston on Monday last and was received by the Mayor and City authorities, as the guest of the City. A public dinner and ball have been given in his honor, by the citizens of the "Queen City of the South."

Thomas Miller, Esq., of Granville, has been appointed President of the Raleigh & Gaston Rail Road, in place of Westly Hollister, Esq., resigned.

C. F. M. Garnett, Esq., who superintended the construction of the Raleigh & Gaston Rail Road, has been appointed Engineer of the Columbia & Charlotte Rail Road.

1 We copy from the Columbia Telegraph, the following address of the President of the Greenville & Columbia Rail Road, to the Stockholders. We think that the remarks of Mr. O'Neall are peculiarly applicable to the situation of our own Road. The Wilmington & Manchester Road is in just precisely about the same situation with that of the Greenville We ask the people of Wilmington to read this short article, and possibly it may suggest something in regard to our own Road : To the Stockholders of the Greenville and Columbia Rail Road .- The failure, as I anticipated, to obtain Legislative aid for this great ahead and do all which can be done." By so the road ultimately builded. My continuance, for a day, as President, depends upon this .-Whenever the work is ordered to stop, I shall cease to be the head of this great enterprise. I Nothing ever induced the acceptance of the Presidency of your Road, without money and my country. Nothing induced me to return the peace and welfare of the community. after the location of the road at Newberry, but the fact manifest to my mind, and that of all my friends, that my retirement must greatly retard, and possibly prevent, the building of Under these circumstances, and after receiving the assurance that the work should go on, I have consented to remain, and on the work will go. Sixteen miles east of the and River, will be put under contract as soon as the survey of location is completed. The ber, 1847, which was ordered to be printed. whole line of the Road will be put under contract to be graded as soon as the surveys of location be completed, if the Stockholders will take the contracts. They are entitled ous members. by the charter to work out half of their stock stockholders will arrange themselves into comnanies so as to take sections, and thus have the benefit intended by the charter. The whole subscription, as it now stands, and athousand dollars. This is not one third of the lumbia. enterprise. Still with that sum, if stockholders will take the contracts, we can grade the entire Road, and complete thirty or forty miles. This done, we can mortgage the Road, and finish as much more. When this is done, can it be that our fellow-citizens of Charleston, Columbia, Richland, Fairfield, Newberry, Abeville, Laurens, Anderson, Pickens, and not least, Greenville, will stand by and not help more, much more than they have done? Let every man come to the rescue, do as I have done, sacrifice previous predilections on the altar of the common good, and then we can build the Road, whether the Legislature will or will not help us! Let us help our-JOHN BELTON O'NEALL,

Columbia, Dec. 20, 1847. A WARNING. - Some days since, Dr. Wainwright, a celebrated Physician of New York, received from a friend in Alabama a number of rare plants, the product of that section of the Union, together with a rattle snake some six feet long. On the evening of the day on which the Doctor received the packages, he bar-room of the Broadway House, and knocked off the lid, for the purpose of exhibiting the animal to some of his friends. The snake apon the floor, and was teased with a stick for the purpose of making it rattle. Dr. Wainwhen, without almost any premonitory warnextreme agony. What a warning to the in- original members of the confederacy. considerate.

President of the G. & C. R. R.

## MEXICAN NEWS.

Since our last paper we have received some intelligence from Mexico, but not of a very important character. Indeed, we do not calculate upon any important movements in that quarter just now. We are looking more anxiously to Washington City for the action of our own Congress upon the Mexican war question, than to Mexico.

We find in the New Orleans papers of a recent date, some late items from the city of Mexico, and also from Queretaro, the present seat of the Mexican government.

The following order will show the reade that Gen. Scott is taking steps to make the Mexican people feel the burdens of the war more sensitively than heretofore :-

GENERAL ORDERS-No. 358. HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY, )

Mexico, Nov'r 25, 1847. as practicable, begin to raise within the country it occupies, the means in whole or in great part, of maintaining the expenses of the occunation until the Federal Government of Mexico shall submit terms of peace which the United States may honorably accept, it is ordered that no uncoined bullion, bars or ingots, either of gold or silver, shall be shipped from any port of Mexico, until the further orders of the Government at home shall be made known | Mr. Mangum. on the subject, so as to give time for said Government to fix the rate of export duty on

such bullion, and perhaps a small duty on gold and silver coin. As the beginning of the change of system intimated above, all rents for houses or quarters occupied by officers or troops of the army, in any city or village in Mexico, will cease as soon as contracts may permit, and absolutely, from and after the end of this month, wherev. Jesse Speight, who died a member of that boer this order shall be received in time, and in dy. Mr. Foote's address was touching and future necessary quarters both for officers and troops, where the public buildings are insufficient, will first be demanded, as required, of the civil authorities of the several places occuvenience imposed upon the inhabitants, and

diminish the same as much as possible. If the authorities fail to put the troops following out the same principle of giving the of the great Northern and Southern Mail. least distress practicable to the unoffending inhabitants, will cause the necessary buildings

to be occupied

GEN. SHIELDS IN SOUTH CAROLINA. - This as heretofore; and the injunctions and penal- River and Harbor Bill of the last session, the ties of the martial law order, dated February 19, 1847, originally published at Tampico, and re-published several times since, with additions, will, as from the first, be strictly enforced, as also, in general, all the obligations of good morals and the most exact discipline. By command of Maj. Gen. Scott:

H. L. SCOTT, A. A. A. G. On the 11th ultimo, Senor Anaya was elected Provisional President of Mexico. This is said to be a good omen for peace, inasmuch as Anava is said to be a peace man. We have read his inaugural address to the Mexican Congress, but can find nothing in it which would seem to indicate that he is for peace

Some skirmishing had taken place with bands of guerrillas.

There was a floating rumor that Gen. Scott had arrested Gens. Pillow and Worth, and Col. Duncan, but we do not give any credence to

STILL LATER.

From the N. O. Picayune, Dec. 17. FROM TAMPICO.-By the steamship Ohio we received the following orders of Col. Gates, which will greatly promote our trade with the

HEADQUARTERS, DEPARTMENT OF TAMPICO, ? November 29, 1847. Notice is hereby given to the citizens of Tampico and the inhabitants of this department, that orders have been issued to the troops stationed at Altamira to use their best ses decided in the Territorial Courts of the efforts to protect all traders, whether English, Spanish, French, German or Mexican, in their movements to and from Tampico; that escorts will be ordered to attendany considerable par- morrow ty going into or coming from the interior with work, makes it necessary to enquire what is property of all kinds. And that similar orto be done. There is but one answer-" Go ders will be given to all officers going on command from this place, to protect and asdoings public confidence will be secured, and sist the traders going to or coming from other

parts of the country. As the guerilleros or armed enemies are em- editorial in the same paper. ployed by orders to rob all persons who may be engaged in the lawful purpose of trading have already more to do than I ought to have. with the inhabitants of this town, instructions have been given to all officers of the United States army and navy, within this department, without price, but the hope that by so doing, to take or kill each and every person of that I might contribute something to the good of character found by them so employed against

> By order of Col. Wm. Gates: F. B. NIMOCKS, A. A. A. General. THIRTIETH CONGRESS, 1st SESSION.

Wednesday, Dec. 15.

A number of petitions relating to private claims, were presented to the Senate by vari-

on the Road. It is hoped that even small bring in a joint resolution, authorizing the in the discussion of the special order, the rules erection of a monument to George Washing | for the government of the House, during the ton, on the Public Grounds, in the city of present Congress. Washington; which was read twice and revailable to us, will not exceed six hundred ferred to the Committee on the District of Co- rule, adopted at the 27th Congress. It was that the stigma occasioned by the unfortunate is told by some of the letter-writers, which

which, on his own motion, were ordered to be

hold it either as a province or to incorporate portant question. On the other hand, it was ny among the officers and soldiers of our Re- ny, was it among the officers and men? This it in the Union, would be inconsistent with argued that an hour was long enough for any giment, and where the stigma of this unfortu- charge of mutiny we can prove to be false by the avowed object for which the war has been prosecuted; a departure from the settled character and genius; and in the end subver- speaking to the question under debate, but in thing in relation to the matter; however, you too insignificant to be called men. If there

Resolved, That no line of policy in the further prosecution of the war should be adopted which may lead to consequences so disas-

inson, of New York:

Resolved, That, in organizing a Territorial government for territories belonging to the U. States, the principles of self-government upon which our federative system rests will be best promoted, the true spirit and meaning of the as the rules of the present Congress. constitution be observed, and the confederacy carried the box containing the reptile to the strengthened, by leaving all questions concer- the House adjourned. ning the domestic policy therein to the legislatures chosen by the people thereof.

Resolved, That true policy requires the government of the United States to strengthen peared forpid during the time it lay coiled up- its political and commercial relations upon this continent, by the annexation of such contigucan be justly obtained; and that, neither in wright was so inconsiderate as to attempt to such acquisition nor in the territorial organireplace it in the box with his naked hands, zation thereof, can any conditions be constitutionally imposed, or institutions be provided for or established, inconsistent with the right ing, it struck him on the finger. Despite the of the people thereof to form a free sovereign best medical aid, he died that night in the most | State, with the powers and privileges of the

Their consideration was postponed for the present, and the Senate adjourned.

House of Representatives .- In the early part of the session, the House was engaged in discussing Mr. Vinton's resolution about the appointment of a special " Committee on commerce among the States." The subject was discussed by Messrs. Vinton, Rhett, C. B. Smith, Root, Bedinger, and others.

A message was received from the President, communicating to that body Mr. Polk's reasons for vetoing the River and Harbor Bill, passed at the last session of Congress; in discussing which, the House was then engaged for some time.

Mr. I. E. Holmes, of South Carolina, introduced a preamble and resolutions on the subject of the Mexican war, the amount of which are, That the U. S. re-cede to the republic of Mexico, all our conquests beyond the Rio Grande, upon condition that Mexico will con-Under instructions from the Government at clude a treaty of peace with us, establishing Home, requiring that this army shall, as soon trade and commerce upon the same basis between the two republics, that it now stands between the States of this Union.

Objection being made, they were not entertained, and the House adjourned.

Thursday, Dec. 16. SENATE.-The credentials of Mr. Berrien, of Georgia, were presented to the Senate by

A communication was laid before the Senate by the Vice President, upon the subject of the route to California.

Several matters of no general interest were ciary

then transacted, when Mr. Foote, of Mississippi, brought to the notice of the Senate, the death of the Hon. Claims.

eloquent, and at its close, the usual resolutions were adopted, and the Senate adjourned. House of Representatives .- After the pied by the troops, so as to equalize the incon- reading of the Journal, Mr. Botts, of Virginia, asked leave to introduce a joint resolution, authorizing the Postmaster General to renew the

promptly in possession of such quarters, then engagement with the Washington, Richmond the commanding officer, in every such case, and Petersburg Rail Roads, for the conveyance The Speaker decided that it could not then

be considered. Subsistence, forage, and other necessaries The House then proceeded to the consider- day and Tuesday next, the 27th and 28th inst. for the army, will be purchased and paid for ation of the President's Message, vetoing the

immediate question pending being on a motion to refer the said message to the Committee on

Mr. Pettit, of Indiana, then addressed the veto message. Mr. P. insisted, that although the power to clear out the great navigable waters of the country was not delegaconstitution, that still it was impliedly conveyed. He was proceeding to illustrate the subject when a message was received from the Senate, announcing the action of that body upon the death of the Hon. Jesse Speight.

Mr. Jacob Thompson, of Mississippi, rose and paid an eloquent tribute to the memory of Mr. Speight; and when he ceased speaking,

A number of petitions were to-day presenmatters of general interest.

The House then adjourned.

Friday, Dec. 17. The SENATE did not sit to-day. House of Representatives .-- Mr. J. R Ingersoll asked leave to report a Bill from the Committee on the Judiciary, giving to the Supreme Court of the U. S. jurisdiction over canow State of Iowa, which, on the suggestion

The Bill was read twice and made the order of the day for to-morrow.

Mr. Pettit made a personal explanation with EDWD. B. DUDLEY, JOHN DAWSON, regard to the report of his remarks, published J. G WRIGHT, in the "Union," and also with regard to an GEO. W. DAVIS,

Mr. Botts again asked leave and obtained it, to introduce a joint resolution, authorizing the Postmaster General to renew the contract with the Washington, Richmond, and Petersburg Rail Roads, for the transportation of the great Mail; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Routes.

Mr. Mead, of Virginia, brought to the notice of the House, the death of Hon. George SENATE. - The Vice President laid before C. Dromgoole, of that State, which he did in the Senate the report of the Superintendent of a most beautiful and touching manner. The the Coast Survey for the year ending in Octo- usual resolutions were passed, and the House

> Saturday, Dec. 18. The SENATE did not sit to-day.

House of Representatives .- The House Mr. Miller asked and obtained leave to was engaged during the whole of its session,

The debate turned chiefly upon the "hour" urged by some, that the rule, confining mem-Mr. Calhoun submitted the following reso- bers to an hour's speech, should be repealed. lutions on the subject of the Mexican war; inasmuch as it did not facil tate the business Regiment. Now, it is my determination to giment was ordered here, four miles from Bueof the House; and in the second place, because give you a full, plain, and unvarnished state- na Vista, our former encampment, and we have an hour was frequently too short a period in Resolved, That to conquer Mexico, and to which to deliver a man's views upon an imman to speak upon any one subject; that a policy of the government; in conflict with its longer period would only be occupied not in bate, the House adopted a rule, providing that no member, either in the House or in Committee of the Whole should occupy more than Some other slight amendments were adopted,

No other business of importance coming up,

STANDING COMMITTEES.

of Congress were appointed on the 13th inst, We do not deem it necessary to give them in ous territory as may conduce to that end, and detail. Below we give the names of the Chairmen of the most important Committees :--On motion of Mr. Mangum, the Senate proeeded to elect Chairmen of the several Stand-

g Committees—which resulted as follows:

Foreign Relations-Mr. Sevier. Finance-Mr. Atherton. Commerce-Mr. Dix. Manufactures-Mr. Dickinson Agriculture-Mr. Sturgeon. Military Affairs-Mr. Cass. Militia-Mr. Rusk. Naval Affairs-Mr. Fairfield. Public Lands-Mr. Breese. Private Land Claims-Mr. Yulee. Indian Affairs-Mr. Atchison. Claims-Mr. Mason. Revolutionary Claims-Mr. Bright. Judiciary-Mr. Ashley The Post Office and P. Roads-Mr. Niles. Roads and Canals-Mr. Hannegan. Pensions-Mr. Johnson, of La. District of Columbia -- Mr. Cameron. Patents and the P. Office-Mr. Westcott. Retrenchment-Mr. Turney. Territories-Mr. Douglass. Public Buildings-Mr. Hunter. Contingent Expenses-Mr. Felch Printing-Mr. Bradbury. Engrossed Bills-Mr. Downs.

Enrolled Bills-Mr. Rusk. Joint Com. on the Library-Ms. Pearce. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES. Committee of Elections.

Mr. Rockwell, of Connecticut, of Claims. Post Roads.

rict of Columbia, and the other members of down the first man who refused to come. Sevthe same Committee, are: - Messrs. Tallmadge, eral went, and several were sent to the provost McDowell, Barrow, Ficklin, Henry, Sims, guard. The Company was afterwards called Edwards, and B. B. Thurston.

Mr. J. R. Ingersoll, of Penn., of the Judi-Mr. King, of Massachusetts, of Revolution- Company K had not, at that time, been broke

Mr. Gayle, of Alabama, of Private Land

Mr. Stewart, of Penn., of Manufactures.

culture. Mr. Gentry, of Tennessee, of Indian Affairs. connected with this matter.) But to continue Mr. Botts, of Virginia, of Military Affairs.

Mr. Thompson, of Kentucky, of Militia. Mr. T. B. King, of Georgia, of Naval Af- one in the rear of the encampment was throw-Mr. T. Smith, of Connecticut, of Foreign onel) ordered Lieut. Singeltary to go and bring

Mr. C. B. Smith, of Indiana, of Territories. Mr. Schenck, of Ohio, of Roads and Canals.

POSTPONEMENT OF THE FAIR .- The Fair adfor the evenings of Wednesday and Thursday of ing in the Company Officers street conversing, this week, is postponed to the evenings of Mon- as I afterwards understood, about this distur-Chronicle, of last Wednesday.

MR. FULTON-There appeared in the Commercial of this morning, a notice of the pro- when they were about twenty yards off, the ceedings of "A Town Meeting" for the pur- ball from the pistol passing through Bradley. pose of nominating Commissioners for our Town for the purious for our hand of a Virginian. This happened about 9 ber 27th and 28th. Various kinds of refreshments the errand upon which he is sent, and the time House at considerable length, in opposition to Town for the ensuing year. The object of o'clock. About five minutes after the Colonel will also be offered. some of the views contained in the President's this communication is to call the attention of sent Lieut. Singeltary after the men spoken of the public to the ticket named by the meeting above. As soon as the Colonel discharged his above alluded to. The present incumbents pistol, he shouted out at the top of his voice are again in nomination-the meeting was whole Regiment." The Company Officers ted to Congress in express language in the small and entirely select. We do not particular came running out from their quarters, and I larly object to the ticket on account of the re- never saw Companies formed more promptly; spectability and standing of the gentlemen in this community, but we seriously object and demur at the manner in which the said Com- received orders to return to their quarters. As missioners have acted during their administra- the Adjutant went down the lines communicating the order to the Companies to stand in tion, for the past year or more-particularly with their conduct during a recent meeting held which the Colonel had called for; he asked at the Masonic Hall, relative to the building the Adjutant if the Colonel wanted the guard: the customary resolutions were adopted by of the new Market House. It is a fair pre- the Adjutant said he presumed not. About sumption, that when men are appointed by this time Gens. Wool and Cushing came over, their fellow-citizens to offices of trust and re-

objection to serving on the Commissioners' of Mr. McClelland, was postponed 'till to- Ticket. I will append a list of their names. I wish the public to look into the matter. December 23, 1847. A CITIZEN. THE PEOPLE'S TICKET.

> B. FLANNER, JOHN A. TAYLOR, JAMES T. MILLER.

ng in the Journal, the following ticket for Commissioners of the town of Wilmington. MANY VOTERS. COL. JOHN McRAE, ISAAC NORTHROP, the General addressed a note to myself and

JNO. D. BELLAMY, J. D. GARDNER, GEORGE DAVIS, B. FLANNER, S. P. POLLEY.

MEXICAN CORRESPONDENCE. HEAD QUARTERS N. C. REG. VOLUNTEERS,

Camp near Buena Vista,

of the newspapers from our State, (which the not guilty-that we had performed our duty last mail brought us,) false statements in rela- promptly on that occasion. The General said tion to the unfortunate occurrence which hap- it would probably break up our Regiment if prised, as I presume most of the false state- that we should be honorably discharged from two officers were dishonorably discharged, im- tions. Now we did not exhibit that contriment of the circumstances connected with this been getting on tolerably well since. nate circumstance ought to rest. I do not the officers of the line attached to our Regi-

talking for "Buncombe." After a long de- may make extracts from this if you choose. | was any mutiny, it ought to have been placed time he landed in Mexico up to the memora- down into our camp and caused one of our ble night of the 15th August, by his rigid men to get killed. But the wooden horse course of discipline towards the men, and his seemed to be the "first great cause." If that The Senate then proceeded to consider the one and one-half hour; but that a member who cruel and tyrannical treatment towards his of- horse had never been erected, this difficulty following resolutions, submitted by Mr. Dick- reported a Bill from a Committee, should have ficers, became unpopular with a majority of never would have taken place; and such a the right of opening and closing the debate .- the officers-but the men still observed to- piece of furniture, I think, was entirely uncallwards the Colonel that respect and subordina- ed for-for a more obedient and subordinate tion which was due him as their Commander. set of men have never yet come from the States, when the rules of the last Congress (with the This respect and subordination was impressed than the North Carolina Volunteers. I could amendments adopted this day) were adopted upon their minds by the Company Officers, for say much more, but I will desist for the preseven when they would be struck with a ent. sword, or otherwise abused by their Commander, which frequently happened, the Company Officers would soothe them, by telling them that the Colonel used all alike, both men and officers, and they must try and hear with his Campbell, Esq., Mr. John Sears, to Mrs. L. New-The Standing Committees of both Houses treatment as well as they could-that the Col- ton. onel would change his course soon, and we At Chapel Hill, on the 8th inst., at the resiwould have better times in the Regiment; but dence of Judge Battle, by the Rev. Professor to \$13 a \$13 50. Fresh Pork begins to come infortunately, the seeming change came too Green, Mr. Charles Phillips, to Miss Laura C. late. There was no chance of getting the Buttle.

men's aggrievances redressed at Gen. Wool's head quarters, for that had been frequently tried. A dark cloud of melancholy gloom seemed to hover over the minds of our poor heartless and spirit-stricken volunteers. No merry laugh was heard to make the welkin by the Company Officers had but little more youth, and comforted him in the gloomy hours of enough, as Capt. Tobin says in his facetious and enabled, by grace divine, to dwell in the comtent." The Virginians and Mississippians labors and their works do follow them."-Com. having heard of the horse, came down that Near Fayetteville, on the 1st inst., Mrs. Sarah evening, about 50 or 60 in number, to see him. Davis, in the 75th year of her age. went off, one of them caught him by the tail. and the wooden horse fell down. Col. Fagg, in the interim, called out a guard, but before the guard could assemble, the men were in their quarters, and every thing was quiet. So the capture of the Colonel's horse. The Colo- this severe bereavement.—Talluhassa Floridian. nel immediately called out a guard from Com-Mr. W. Hunt, of New York, of Commerce. pany K, being the Company before his tent. Mr. Collamar, of Vermont, of Public Lands. Some of the men refused to go, saying that Mr. Goggin, of Virginia, of Post Office and they did not come to Mexico to guard wooden horses. The Colonel went into the Company Mr. J. G. Chapman, of Maryland, of Dis- with sword drawn, and swore he would cut

out to the rear of the Colonel's tent, and the

ters. (Now you must know that the men of

nto the service, for Col. Fagg had only got

men had not been drilled scarcely any, and if

Here, then, is where they get all the mutiny

- the above happened about 8 o'clock at night,

and in a few minutes it was reported that some

ng stones at the Colonel's tent. He (the Col-

to his tent twenty men, for the purpose, I sup-

pose, of guarding it. The Colonel then start-

was sick at the time, and in the second street

from him he discovered five or six men stand-

bance in Company K, about guarding the

wooden horse. The Colonel hailed them and Brown & Co.

to Buena Vista a few weeks before, and the

roll called, and afterwards sent to their quar-

told them to stop, but they ran off in the direction of their quarters, and he fired his pistol in these words-" Turn out, turn out the the Officers standing at the head of their Companies awaiting orders-the Companies remained formed about half an hour, when they

readiness, Lieut. Singeltary had the guard out

and, after some consultation, it is said, approved of the course of Col. Paine. A chain of ted to the House, but none of them relating to sponsibility, that men of moral worth and sentinels was placed between the North Caroweight of character should be selected. The lina and Virginia encampments, and thus the scene of the night of the 15th August closed. presumption is conclusive; but when we find The next morning the Company Officers, hemen so selected, so far forgetful of every genlieving that our Regiment had been disgraced erous and liberal feeling that should belong to by the circumstance above alluded to, respecta gentleman, it is time for plain citizens to fully addressed a note to the Colonel, requestlook about, and try and find some honest men | ing him to resign, " believing it to be for the o govern their town affairs. There are men good and quiet of the Regiment." The Colonel took the note to Gen. Wool, (the note was be found in Wilmington who are not sent by a private soldier as reported in the legally qualified, that would have no Register, but it was taken to the Adjutant's office, and his clerk carried it to the Colonel.) Nothing was said about the note that day (being the 16th) until evening, when it was read out on dress parade, that Lieuts. Pender and Singeltary were dishonorably discharged from the service of the United States. This note to Col. Paine to resign, recollect, was signed by all the Company Officers but one. After this General Order had been read to the Regiment, (referred to on the first page,) the Company Officers, knowing that they were basely implicated and accused of what they were not MR. EDITOR :- Please oblige us by insert- guilty, determined to resign! So on the morning of the 17th, we handed in our resignations. think there were seventeen or eighteen of

us. The resignations were sent to Gen. Cush-

ing by Col. Paine without any comment, and

two other officers that evening (being previously acquainted with me) to come over to his quarters. We went over to see Gen. Cushing as requested. The General told us he wished us to take back our resignations-that Gen'l Wool would probably discharge us as he had done Pender and Singeltary, or accept of our resignations, and make any remark on them which he pleased We told him that we had November 7th, 1847. | been unjustly implicated in that General Or-Dear Journal: I was sorry to see in some | der, and shamefully accused of what we were pened to our Regiment on the night of the 15th | we persisted, and if we would withdraw our August last. However, I was not much sur- resignations a week or two, that he would see ments originated from the General Order that the service if we desired it. After some time was published to our Regiment when those we concluded it best to withdraw our resignaplicating the Company Officers also, saying tion, and beg to get our resignations back, as occurrence of the 15th, must rest on the Com- is false; for I was an eye-witness of these pany Officers; and also insinuating that there facts, and they are as I have narrated them was mutiny among the men and officers of our above. The next day, the 18th, our Re-

matter, just as they happened, and then you Now, sir, tell me where is the mutiny in the can judge for yourself if there was any muti- North Carolina camp? If there was any mutiwrite this for publication, but for your own ment. Aye, farther, by all the Officers of the benefit-for I wish you to understand every Regiment, except, probably, a few, who are The Commander of our Regiment, from the upon the heads of the Virginians, who came Truly yours, " AMICUS."

## MARRIED.

At Topsail Sound, on the 11th instant, by M.

DIED. In Duplin county, on the 12th inst., of consump tion. Mr. John Heath, in the 64th year of his age. Our departed brother, for the last 16 years of his life, had been a consistent member of the Baptist ring, or song to cheer the drowsy mind, in our Church, and his life and manners greatly correscamp, while at Buena Vista. Thus things ponded with his profession. When in his last ill-Company streets, as was his wont, (for by-the- had guarded him through the heedless paths of to do with their Companies than you have, old age, would finally carry him through the trycause some of the men were not out soon e- from its tenement of clay, and be carried home to nough to roll-call, he swore he would have a the bright mansions of unclouded glory, where, ed him to have the horse made that day. Sure emancipated from the heavy shackles of mortality, \$1 60. letter to the N. O. Delta, "The horse was pany of just men made perfect. Blessed are the brought forth and enstalled near Col. Paine's dead that die in the Lord, for they rest from their the week from \$2 25 to \$3; and closing to

They had some fun over him, and, as they In Chatham county on the 17th ult, Isaiah Staves at \$10 per M.; and sales of Red Oak Burnett, in the 72d year of his age. Mr. William Thompson, one of the most wor

thy citizens of this county, died at his residence on Sunday night last. Mr. T: was a native of tled North Carolina, but had been a resident of Flori-The various Standing Committees were this ended the 14th of August, but the worst yet ter citizen—an upright, conscientious, and kindda for many years past. Leon county had no betmorning announced. The Chairmen of the has to come. Next day passed off quietly unmost important of them are as follows, viz: - til night. It was reported by some one, pro-Mr. R. W. Thompson, of Indiana, of the bably "Drummer Stubbs," that a body of men fessing his entire resignation to the divine will, was in the rear of the Colonel's and Lieut. and his readiness to depart. His disconsolate Mr. R. T. Vinton, of Ohio, of the Ways and Colonel's tents, coming, as was supposed, for widow and relatives have the public sympathy in

## a maringlist. a PORT OF WILMINGTON.

Dec. 17-Brig Emma, Dickinson, Charleston, to De Rosset, Brown & Co.
Brig Forest, Caton, Hovana, to DeRosset, Brown & Co. Br. Schr. George B. Mathews, Roberts, Nassau, N. F. to G. W. Davis. 19th .- Brig Belle, Myers. New York, to G. W. Davis. Schr. Elouise, Robinson, New York, to E. J. Lutterlob. Schr. Charles P Brown, Doughty, Charleston, to G. W.

Schr. Marion, Johnson, Little River, to 6 W. Davis. 22-Brig Levant, Mann, Cardenas, to C. W. Davis. Sloop Gleaner, Uptegrove, Shallotte, to 23-Schr. L. P. Smith, Youngs, New York, to R. W. Brown. As the was beating up the river on Tuesday they were a little refractory, it is nothing more morning last, she went beyond the channel, there being Mr. Stewart, of Penn., of Manufactures.

In they were a little restaurance of New York, of Agrithan would be expected on such an occasion. low town, where she remained until this morning.

Schr. J. K. F. Mansfield, Lawrence, from Charleston,

to DeRosset, Brown & Co. CLEARED. Dec. 17th.-Brig Mississippi, Snow, Havana, by J. Hathaway & Son Brig David Duffel, Collet, N Bedford, by G. W. Davis. Schr. G W. Davis Briggs, New York, do. Schr. Old Zack, Mildrum, Mobile, do. 19th.—Big Juniata, Morton, Barbadoes, by Barry, Bryant & Co.

20th.—Brig Emeline, Loring, Boston, by G. W. Davis.
21.—Br Brig Hiram, Crosby Trinidad, by G. W. Davis.
22.—Steamer Evergreen, Rush, Fayetteville, by John

ed off in the direction of Col. Fagg's tent, who Banks. 23d .- Br. Schr. Pivot, Lewis, St. Kitts, by Barry, Bryant & Co. Steamer Wm. B. Meares, McRae, Fayetteville, by J. & W. L. McGary. TO CLEAR TO-DAY-Dec. 24. Brig Samuel Potter, Douglass, for Baltimore, by De Rosset, Brown & Co.

Schr. Athalia, Purnell, for New York, by DcRosset

THE LADIES OF THE EPISCOPAL Church, design holding a Fair, for the sale of ar-

# WILMINGTON MARKET.

WHOLESALE PRICES.						
BACON-Per pound.						
Hams, Middlings,	111		8 12			
Shoulders	10	a	9			
Hog round, Western,	91	4	10			
BEANS-Per hunhal White	-	a	02			
BEESWAX-Per pound. BUTTER-Per pound.	22	a	25			
BEEF-Per Darrel.	18	4	22			
Northern-Mess. Do Prime,	13 00	a	14 -			
CORN-Per bushel, .	9 00	a	12 00			
Meal, COFFEE-Per pound,	80	a	85			
Rio, · · ·	8	a	81			
St. Domingo,	. 7	a	74			
Laguyra, Cuba,	- 7	a	9			
COTTON-Per pound, . non CANDLES-Tallow-per pound	e. i - 11	4	15			
Sperm,	90	а	36			
Adamantine	25 39	1000	28 33			
FEATHERS-Per pound, FLOUR-Canal-Per barrel,	7 00	a	7 60			
Fayetteville, HAY-Northern-Per 100 pound	5 50		6 00 85			
IRON-Per pound,	4		51			
LARD-Per pound, N. C	. 12	a	12			
Western, LIME-Thomastown-Perbarre	t 70	4	75			
LUMBER-Riter-Per M.	20.00		9 00			
Flooring Boards,	6 60	a	7 00			
Scantling,	9.00	a	6 00 7 25			
Timber, Mill,	3 00 8 50		9 00			
MOLASSES-West Indies, .	23	a	24			
MACKEREL-Per burrel.	12 —	a	13 —			
No. 1,	7 50		8 50			
No. 3	4 -	å	5			
NAILS-Per pound, NAVAL STORES-Per barrel	-320 p	OUP	de.			
Yellow Dip Turpentine,	2 20	4	2 25			
Virgin Dip, Hard—	V 22		1 35			
Tar, Pitch,	1 50		1 60			
Rosin-No. 1.	1	4				
No. 2,	· 50		70 60			
No. 3, Spirits Turpentine,	30		8.5			
OIL-Sperm-Pergallon, .	85	a	1 90			
PEAS-Ground-Per bushel, Black Eye,	76		60			
PCRK-Perbarrel.	75	a	60			
Northern Mess, .	16 50		17 00			
Prime,	13 50	4	7 25			
Fresh, RICE-Per 100 pounds,	6 50 3 50		3 75			
Rough-Per bushel, -		a	1000000			
SALT-Per bushel. Turks Island,	2:2	9	25			
Liverpool-sack	1 45	а	1 50			
SOAP-Per pound, SHINGLES-Per M.	4	4	6			
Country,	- 2 00		2 75			
Contract,	4	a	5 —			
Northern Rum,	33		34			
Gin, · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	35		37 32			
Apple Brandy.	40	a	42			
STEEL-Per pound, STAVES-Per M.	12	a	25			
White Oak barrels-rough,	12 -	a	16			
Dressed, Red Oak Hogshead-rough	14 -	a				
Dressad	16 00					
SUGAR-Per pound.						
New-Orleans, none - Porto Rico,	. 6	1 4	7			
St. Croix, · · ·	6	a	6			
TALLOW-Per pound,	. 11					
TOBACCO-Leaf-Per cut	2 50	a	3			
VARNISH-Pergallon, WINES-Pergallon.	. 20	a	22			
Madeira,	. 70	) a				
Port,	70 VIII	a				
Malaga,		a	_			

New-Orleans, -none -			a		
Porto Rico		61	4		7
St. Croix,		6	a		6
Loaf, · · ·		11	a		13
TALLIW-Per pound, .		8	a		10
TOBACCO-Leaf-Per cut.,	2	50	a	3	
VARNISH-Pergallon,		20	a		22
WINES-Per gallon.	20 100		-		
Madeira, · ·	. 3	70	a	2	50
Port,			a		00
Malaga,		-	a	-	_
TO DIGUE	=	_		-	
FREIGHTS TO NEW YORK—					
Turpentine and Rosin, per bbl		-	25	a	
Spirits Turpentine, per bbl.,	-3			a	4
Rice, per hundred lbs., gross,			15	a	- 5
Cotton, per bale,		21	00	a	
Cotton goods and yarns, per ba		•	50	a	
Tobacco. per IIhd.,		23	-	a	4 -
Flax Seed, per cask,			00	8	
Ground Peas, per bushel,		- 5	6	2	
Lumber, per M.,		2	1 50		-
TO PHILADELPHIA-				-	
Turpentine, per bbl.,			25		
Spirits Turpentine, per bbl.,			40	a	
Tar, per bbl .	7		25	8	
Ground Peas, per bushel,				B	
Lumber, per M.,				8	
Cotton goods & yarns, per cub	ic ft.			a	
TO BOSTON -		,		_	
Turpentine, per bbl.,			45	8	
Spirits Turpentine, per bbl ,			60	a	
Lumber, per M.,		9	00	8	10 (
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Bank Rates of Exchange Bank checks on Philadelphia, p					

WILMINGTON MARKET-Dec. 23. BACON-Remains without change, with but a trifling stock on the market.

CORN-This article has become quite scarce, and sells from store, in lots to suit, at 65 and 70 cts, per bushel. Meal is likewise and McClellan. The grandchild of Christian scarce, and commands our highest figure. FLOUR-The supply of Canal and Fayetteville Flour is small. See quotations for

last sales. PORK-Northern Prime Pork has receded in in small lots Sales this morning at \$6 50

a \$7 per hundred pounds. PEAS-Sales of Ground Peas this morning at 95c. per bushel. We quote at 85 c. to \$1

per bushel, according to quality.

NAVAL STORES-Receipts of Turpentine have not been large, and prices have maintained much firmness since our report of went on until the 14th of August. Early in ness, he seemed to manifest an usual degree of this day week. The sales up to noon to-day, the morning, the Colonel rushed out in the Christian fortitude, fully believing that he who reach something about 3800 bbls., all of which has been taken at prices varying from \$2 20 to \$2 25, for soft, and \$1 35 for hard, for the Colonel monopolized the whole Regi- ing hour of death. In this way he anxiously a- closing at the latter price with an upward tenment in attending to the petty duties,) and be- waited the moment when his spirit should be freed dency. Spirits Turpentine. - Sales to the extent of 300 or 400 bbls. since last Thursday, wooden horse made to punish the men, and high in the vaults of Heaven, he can sing the at 30c. per gallon. Tar. - Sales of about 550 went forthwith to Col. Fagg's tent, and order- praises of his Redeemer forever. His spirit is bbls. at \$1 50, and about 100 bbls. to-day at

> SHINGLES-Have been selling during day with a heavy market at \$2 a \$2 75.

STAVES-Sales of 10,000 Ash barrel Hhds., rough, at \$14 a \$15; dressed, \$16 to ver County, having qualified as administra-\$18, during the week. The market not set-

TIMBER-Operations in Timber are slow. We quote for sales during the week, from very inferior to good Mill Timber, at \$3 a \$7 1-4 Shipping Timber \$8 50 to \$9. LUMBER-We have no sales to report, but retain former quotations.

SALT .- Recived from West Indies, 3,000 bushels, which changed hands at 22 and 25 cents per bushel, afloat.

FATETTEVILLE, Dec. 18 .- Cotton 74c.; Cotton Yarn 17; Bacon 12 to 13; Corn 50 to 55; Lard 10 to 11; Wheat 85 to 95; Butter 15 to 20. CHARLESTON, Dec. 21 .- The Upland Cotton

market remained very quiet on the 20th, with no disposition on the part of buyers to operate. Sales, 70 bales only, at 73 a 73. The market continued with a good demand for Rice. Sales from 7 to 800 barrels, at extremes

from \$3 1-16 to 3}-principally \$31 to 31. NEW YORK, Dec. 18th .- Naval Stores .- The market generally remains quiet, and we have only to report sales of 300 bbls. Spts. Turpen ine at 37; # 38c , cash ; 500 barrels North County Rosin at

65 cents, delivered; some Wilmington, 75; and

400 bbls. North County Tar at \$2 a \$2 25 per

NEW OBLEANS, Dec. 12 .- Cotton 6% to 7 ets ; Sugar 21 to 51c; Molasses 18 to 181c; Flour 38 to 44 dols.; Bacon, hams 9 to 12c, sides 4 to 44. sale by CRONLY, WALKER & HALL. shoulders 34 to 38; Lard 54 to 64; Whiskey 174

FAYETTEVILLE FLOUR-25 bbls Fayetteville Flour assorted Brands, received per steamer Evergreen, and for sale by

HOWARD & PEDEN. Dec 24 WHISKEY-50 bbls N O Whiskey, for sale by Dec \$4 HOWARD & PEDEN

Town Ordinances.

Resolved, That no pass or permit shall be suffis ticles of their own manufacture, at Society Hall, cient to protect any slave after the hour of 9, P. M., unless it be stated in such pass the place of places to which the said slave is allowed to go, or until when they are permitted to be out; and any slave or slaves found with passes other than those described above, shall be dealt with as if they had

Resolved, That if any slave found without a pass, or with an insufficient pass, shall state to the Guard that he is sent to any place, or upon any errand, upon a sudden emergency-as for a physician or otherwise-it shall be the duty of the Guard to accompany the slave to the place or per-son designated, and if the statement of the slave be found untrue, he shall be punished not exceeding fifteen lashes.

Resolved, That all slaves offering insolence to the Town Guard in the performance of their duty, whether they have a pars or not, shall be punished by the Police Officer, at his discretion, not exceeding fifteen lashes.

By order of the Board, J. D. POISSON, Town Clerk. December 22, 1847-[15-21

Commercial, Chronicle and Gazette, copy twice, STATE OF NORTH-CAROLINA. NEW HANOVER COUNTY COURT.

December Term, 1847. TORDERED, that hereafter the State Docket be taken up on Monday morning, and when this Docket is disposed of, the Appeal Docket be taken up, and as soon as the Appeal Docket is finished, the Exparte cases, and such as are not litigated on the Trial Docket, be first disposed of, and the Trial Docket then be peremptorily taken up.

Teste, L. H. MARSTELLER, CI'k. December 24, 1847-[15-6t Chronicle and Commercial copy once a week

> " Transferred by wondrous magic art; Behold how perfect every part."

## N. S. BENNETT,

INOM Boston, would most respectfully inform I the inhabitants of Wilmington and vicinity. that he has fitted up rooms in the rear of Dr. Ware's Office, Front street, for the purpose of taking DAGUERREOTTPE MINIATURES, and would invite all who wish really bold and perfect miniatures of themselves or friends, to give him a call. By a new and expeditious process, peculiar to himself, he is enabled to take the likeness of infants, of almost any age; and parents may now procure pictures of their little ones which will be protractions of life itself.

Hours for operating, from 10 a. m., till 4 p. m. December 24, 1847-[15-1m

### AGENCY, For the sale of Negroes.

ERSONS having NEGROES to dispose of would do well to call on the subscriber, before selling, as he is well acquainted with all persons who buy; and there shall be no pains spared on my part to make the above property bring its value, either in this or another market: I am ever ready to serve those who will give me

their business. JAMES T MORRIS Wilmington, Dec 24, 1847

WHY WILLYOUSUFFER! WHY will you neglect those premonitory sym-toms which are giving you warning that something must be done to save you from the grave of the consumptive ? Why encourage that hacking cough—the pain in the side—night sweats—ralsing of blood or difficulty of breathing! Why cherish and foster the disease that is preying upon your vitals, taking away your strength with each passing day, and hastening you to "that bourne

rom whence no traveller returns?" Silence that dreadful cough-Let not its harrowing tones fall upon the ears of your friends, relieve it at once, and let the bloom of health once more adorn your now sallow and ghastly cheekothers have been in a situation equally as hopeless as yours, and been restored by the great and

wonderful remedy SHERMAN'S ALL-HEALING BALSAM. Mr. F. H. HETZGER, corner of 1st Avenue and 11th street, and formerly a merchant in Albany, was reduced to the brink of the grave from consumption. The best Physicians could do him no good, his Ulcerated Lungs and Liver they could not cure, and gave him up; he lost his appetite. strength and flesh, and raised great quantities of blood and bloody matter; when the tupercles burst he raised nearly a pint at a time.

SHERMAN'S BALSAM SAVED HIS LIFE! he is now able to travel and attend to his business: Witness the cases of Rev. Henry Jones, 108 Eight Avenue, who was cured of a cough of 50 years standing; Mrs. Attree, No. 22 Corneliastreet, who had been given up by Drs. Mott, Rose Klenhs, 155 Ludlow-street, who was also given up to die. Mrs. Milne, formerly of Brooklyn, whom the first Physicians said could not be cured; and a host of others who have been afflicted with Asthma, Consumption, Liver Complaint, and all the various forms of disease in the vital organs. Do any doubt the efficacy of this medicine Let them go and converse whith those whe have teen cured by it. Pamphlets containing the names and residences of a small portion of them may be obtained, gratis. In purchasing, be sure you get the genuine, ask for "SHERMAN'S

rapper of each bottle. 25 cents and \$1 per bottle. Dr. Sherman's Lozenges and plasters sold as a-

ALL-HEALING BALSAM," and see that the

written signature of A. Sherman, M. D. is on the

Dr. Sherman's Office is at 106 Nassau-street; The above medicine is for sale by LIPPITT &

Dec. 24, 1847 .- 15-6w (ALT-2500 bushels Salt, for sale by HOWARD & PEDEN. 1) Lec 24

WILLKINGS, Druggists, Wilmington, N. C.

## NOTICE

MHAT Hilton Bridge will be rented to the highest hidder, with note and security for one year, on the first day of January next, 1848. Wm. S. ASHE. Dec. 24-15-21

of Pleas and Quarter Sessions, of New Hanc-

NOTICE. MHE subscriber, at Dec. Term 1847, of the Court

tor with the will annexed, of Thos. Devane, dec'd., hereby gives notice to all persons indebted to said estate, to make immediate payment, and to those having demands against the same, to present them duly authenticated within the time prescribed by aw, or this notice will be pleaded in tar of their OWEN FENNELL. Adm'r, With the will annexed.

Dec. 24, 1847-15-6m

## NOTICE.

ON the 13th day of January, 1848, at the late residence of Thos. Devane, dec'd., will be hired out, the negroes belonging to the minor heirs of Thos. Devane, dec'd. Also the lands belonging to said heirs will be rented for one year. Terms at OWEN FENNELL, Guardian. Dec. 24, 1846-15-3t

CALT-4000 bushels landing and for sale by Dec. 21-15-1f] R. H. STANTON & Co.

AND DEEDS, a new supply, just printed and for sale at the JOURNAL OFFICE.

OR SALE-50 bags Rio and Laguira Cof-ECEIVED THIS DAY, PER SCHO. J. D. JONES-30 bags Laguira Coffee; Saldo. Rio

do.; 3 casks prime Cheese. For sale low, by
[Dec 2] McKELLAR & McRAE. [Dec 2] LOUR-30 bhls, Fayetteville Super, fine & X, Received per Win B. Meates, for

Dec 17. DOMESTIC LIQUORS-30 bbls. N. O. Whiskey; 25 bbls Rose Gin; 20 bbls.

Dec 17. CRONLY, WALKER & HALL, SALT-2,000 Bushels Salt, for sale by

[Nov. 5.] HOWARD & PEDEN.

N. E. Rum, for sale by